



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Mohamad El-Batal et al.

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Examiner: Phuong, T. Vu

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For : DISK STORAGE SYSTEM WITH REMOVABLE ARRAYS
OF DISK DRIVES

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Commissioner for Patents
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS ARE SET FORTH BEGINNING ON PAGE
2 OF THIS PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT.

REMARKS ARE SET FORTH BEGINNING ON PAGE 7 OF THIS
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT.